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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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U.S. National Phase of PCT/GB99/03813

Entry papers filed herewith May 16, 2001

For: CELLS, CULTURE METHODS, AND THEIR USE IN  
AUTOLOGOUS TRANSPLANTATION THERAPY

Attention: PCT OFFICE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The present application is the U.S. national phase of international application number PCT/GB99/03813. The following amendments pertain to the claims as amended.

Please note that the amended page 10 attached to the International Preliminary Examination Report (Annexes) and submitted herewith, have replaced the originally filed page 10 of the application. The claims to be examined and amended by this preliminary amendment are found on amended pages 43-45.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please add the attached ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE to the application.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claim 1 without prejudice or disclaimer.